

**PATENT**

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Title: **ARRANGEMENTS OF MICROSCOPIC PARTICLES FOR PERFORMING  
LOGIC COMPUTATIONS, AND METHOD OF USE**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed with a divisional of U.S. Patent  
Application Serial No. 10/256,496.

Please amend this divisional application as specified herein.